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Mr. Don Fullmer 905 North Main Street Fillmore, UT, 84631

Re:

Further information required for the Mining Plan Modification Request at the Koosharem Clay Pit, Federal Lease UTU-78187.

Dear Mr. Fullmer:

BLM received your request on May 12, 2008 to modify the mining plan at the Koosherem Clay pit. After a review of the current approved plan, BLM requires the following information in order to approve the plan;

- 1. The pit floor profiles (enclosed) show that the pit on the west side (left side of the profile) will not have any additional mining conducted in this area. In order for BLM to approve the mining of Area "A" and Area "B" as shown on the map that was submitted as part of your request, you must submit a new mining pit floor profile that shows the existing Lower Box Creek road and the berm/ barrier along with the proposed depth of the pit. The proposed depth of the pit must have a geologic basis which should be made part of your response. Geologic cross-sections are required in order to verify these projections.
- 2. The pit slope during mining must be addressed along with the access in and out of the pit. A narrative along with a map will be required. If benches are planned, then details of the bench configuration must be addressed and cross-sections must be provided.

BLM may require an additional reclamation bond due to this action.

For further information contact Mr. Stan Perkes, (801) 539-4036.

Sincerely,

JAMES F KOHLER

James F. Kohler Chief Solid Minerals

Enclosure Approved Pit floor Profiles

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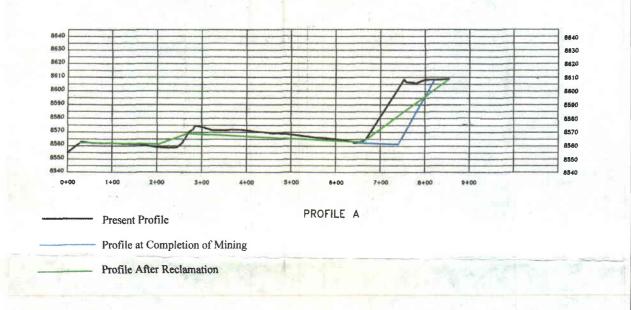


Figure 1 Approved Mining Profile North-South

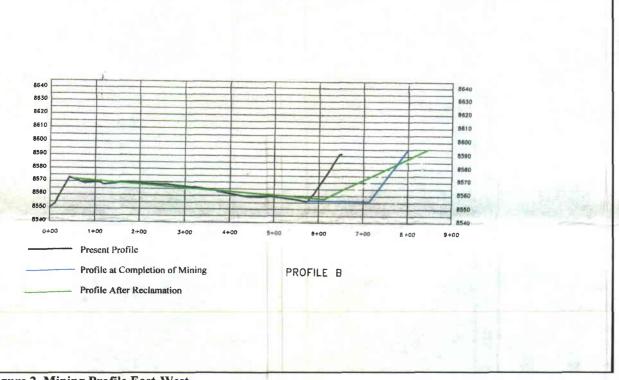


Figure 2 Mining Profile East-West

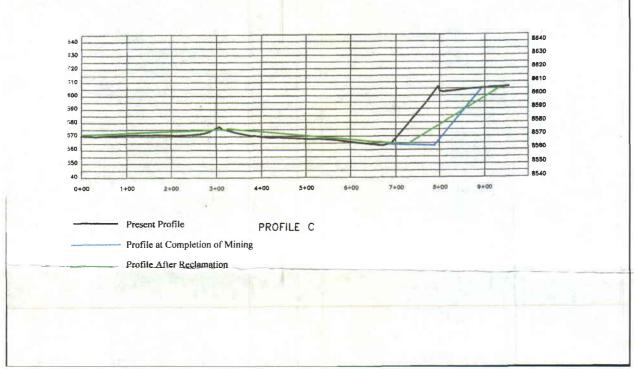


Figure 3 Mining Profile Southwest-Northeast